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Table 1: Economy

	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	
ESTIMATES OF UNEMPLOYMENT - June quarter						
Unemployed persons	no.	583	516	545	511	492
Unemployment rate	%	10.9	9.4	9.5	8.8	8.3
TAXATION STATISTICS - year ended 30 June						
Non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	1 331	1 812	-
Taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	8.9	12.4	-
Average taxable income (non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	5 710	7 768	-
Taxable individuals	no.	-	-	-	-	-
Non-taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	21.6	23.2	-
Average taxable income (taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	37 887	40 333	-
Net tax	\$m	-	-	45.0	45.6	-
Average net tax	\$	-	-	7 888	7 901	-
Net tax as a proportion of taxable income	%	-	-	2.1	2.5	-
Taxable and non-taxable individuals	no.	-	-	7 041	7 370	-
Non-taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$m	-	-	26.7	24.3	-
Average taxable income (taxable and non-taxable individuals)	\$	-	-	31 978	33 197	-
SELECTED GOVERNMENT PENSIONS & ALLOWANCES - at 30 June						
Age Pension - Capital	no.	842	850	900	960	1 003
Age Pension - DVA	no.	0	0	76	76	86
Carer Payment	no.	153	163	180	230	257
Disability Support Pension	no.	97	97	97	104	104
Newstart Allowance	no.	583	408	488	508	500
Pensioner Payment - Single	no.	634	618	624	583	533
Youth Allowance	no.	397	320	300	345	332
Newstart Allowance - more than 365 days	%	75.8	75.7	72.0	69.3	67.3
ESTIMATES OF PERSONAL INCOME - year ended 30 June						
Wages and salary earners	no.	5 196	5 515	5 800	6 082	-
Wage and salary income	\$m	154.7	173.3	191.2	207.7	-
Average wage and salary income	\$	30 048	31 421	32 962	34 144	-
Own unincorporated business earners	no.	975	973	1 000	1 007	-
Own unincorporated business income	\$m	14.0	15.4	15.7	15.8	-
Average Own unincorporated business income	\$	15.3	15.853	15.865	15.865	-
Investment earners	no.	2 249	2 405	2 475	2 656	-
Investment income	\$m	45.7	47.1	47.1	47.8	-
Average investment income	\$	4 048	4 172	4 470	5 181	-
Supervision and emolument earners	no.	190	210	240	260	-
Supervision and emolument income	\$m	3.2	3.7	4.3	5.3	-
Average Supervision and emolument income	\$	15 860	17 041	18 015	20 251	-
Other income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	no.	260	298	308	347	-
Other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.7	-
Average other income (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$	1 600	1 647	1 620	2 047	-
Total income earners (excl. Government pensions & allowances)	\$m	183.7	215.1	220.8	241.2	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY AGE AND SEX - year ended 30 June						
Males - 15 years to 24 years	no.	408	541	550	575	-
Males - 25 years to 34 years	no.	674	711	723	738	-
Males - 35 years to 44 years	no.	683	715	747	773	-
Males - 45 years to 54 years	no.	619	626	626	624	-
Males - 55 years to 64 years	no.	291	318	358	362	-
Males - 65 years and over	no.	48	54	57	63	-
Males - Total	no.	2 798	2 946	3 062	3 185	-
Females - 15 years to 24 years	no.	484	480	530	545	-
Females - 25 years to 34 years	no.	562	607	642	656	-
Females - 35 years to 44 years	no.	571	578	581	714	-
Females - 45 years to 54 years	no.	535	576	598	648	-
Females - 55 years to 64 years	no.	211	252	267	260	-
Females - 65 years and over	no.	27	27	27	25	-
Females - Total	no.	2 392	2 569	2 738	2 899	-
Persons - 15 years to 24 years	no.	600	1 021	1 080	1 120	-
Persons - 25 years to 34 years	no.	1 251	1 214	1 284	1 284	-
Persons - 35 years to 44 years	no.	1 262	1 352	1 422	1 507	-
Persons - 45 years to 54 years	no.	1 109	1 180	1 225	1 302	-
Persons - 55 years to 64 years	no.	569	569	624	624	-
Persons - 65 years and over	no.	66	71	81	80	-
Persons - Total	no.	5 158	5 515	5 800	6 084	-
WAGE AND SALARY EARNERS BY OCCUPATION - year ended 30 June						
Managers and Administrators	no.	323	340	372	379	-
Professionals	no.	404	423	447	469	-
Associate professionals	no.	27	27	29	29	-
Tradespersons and Related Workers	no.	760	808	886	881	-
Advanced Clerical and Service Workers	no.	65	67	78	87	-
Intermediate Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	1 079	1 121	1 153	1 153	-
Elementary Clerical, Sales and Service Workers	no.	473	526	535	546	-
Elementary Production and Transport Workers	no.	564	621	622	684	-
Laborers and Related Workers	no.	840	888	894	950	-
Non-salaried workers	no.	523	523	492	492	-
Total wage and salary earners	no.	5 157	5 516	5 802	6 084	-
ESTIMATES OF HOUSEHOLD WEALTH - year ended 29 June						
Net worth per household	\$1000	211.8	-	-	-	-
Aggregate household net worth	\$m	992.9	-	-	-	-
Equivalised net worth	\$1000	127.2	-	-	-	-
Assets per household	\$1000	223.1	-	-	-	-
Liabilities per household	\$1000	42.0	-	-	-	-
Debt to asset ratio	%	16.8	-	-	-	-
COUNTS OF BUSINESSES, INCLUDING ENTRIES AND EXITS						
Number of businesses - at 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	201	375	294	297	-
Employing business entries, 1 to 4 employees	no.	81	96	108	100	-
Employing business entries, 5 or more employees	no.	39	42	42	51	-
Total business entries	no.	411	453	444	462	-
Total business entries	no.	63	67	120	102	-
Business Entries - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business entries	no.	54	68	67	63	-
Employing business entries	no.	21	21	20	20	-
Total business entries	no.	75	89	87	83	-
Business Exits - year ended 30 June						
Non-employing business exits	no.	81	57	54	81	-
Employing business exits	no.	6	3	12	24	-
Total business exits	no.	87	60	66	105	-
Number of Businesses by Industry - at 30 June						
Agriculture, forestry and fishing	no.	57	54	60	60	-
Manufacturing	no.	21	19	24	20	-
Electricity, gas and water supply	no.	3	3	3	3	-
Construction	no.	114	120	120	147	-
Wholesale trade	no.	4	4	4	4	-
Retail trade	no.	36	51	42	36	-
Accommodation, cafe and restaurants	no.	3	6	3	6	-
Transport, postal and warehousing	no.	24	40	35	42	-
Communication services	no.	0	6	3	6	-
Finance and insurance	no.	3	6	9	12	-
Property and business services	no.	60	68	70	80	-
Education, health and community services	no.	6	7	6	6	-
Health and community services	no.	12	12	9	9	-
Cultural and recreational services	no.	18	15	12	15	-
Residential other services	no.	6	5	2	2	-
Total businesses	no.	411	453	444	462	-



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Table 2: Population and People

		2004	2005
ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION BY AGE AND SEX - at 30 June			
Males - 0 to 4 years	no.	685	698
Males - 5 years to 9 years	no.	690	696
Males - 10 years to 14 years	no.	594	599
Males - 15 years to 19 years	no.	519	526
Males - 20 years to 24 years	no.	411	430
Males - 25 years to 29 years	no.	403	421
Males - 30 years to 34 years	no.	529	512
Males - 35 years to 39 years	no.	487	514
Males - 40 years to 44 years	no.	478	469
Males - 45 years to 49 years	no.	447	460
Males - 50 years to 54 years	no.	419	451
Males - 55 years to 59 years	no.	364	366
Males - 60 years to 64 years	no.	244	265
Males - 65 years to 69 years	no.	189	202
Males - 70 years to 74 years	no.	111	126
Males - 75 years to 79 years	no.	75	74
Males - 80 years to 84 years	no.	31	39
Males - 85 years and over	no.	28	29
Males - Total	no.	6 704	6 877
 Females - 0 to 4 years	no.	625	618
Females - 5 years to 9 years	no.	675	689
Females - 10 years to 14 years	no.	610	629
Females - 15 years to 19 years	no.	486	496
Females - 20 years to 24 years	no.	497	508
Females - 25 years to 29 years	no.	487	531
Females - 30 years to 34 years	no.	543	542
Females - 35 years to 39 years	no.	504	515
Females - 40 years to 44 years	no.	516	534
Females - 45 years to 49 years	no.	465	472
Females - 50 years to 54 years	no.	448	460
Females - 55 years to 59 years	no.	362	398
Females - 60 years to 64 years	no.	236	259
Females - 65 years to 69 years	no.	160	172
Females - 70 years to 74 years	no.	103	104
Females - 75 years to 79 years	no.	84	83
Females - 80 years to 84 years	no.	57	58
Females - 85 years and over	no.	78	85
Females - Total	no.	6 936	7 153
 Persons - 0 to 4 years	no.	1 310	1 316
Persons - 5 years to 9 years	no.	1 365	1 385
Persons - 10 years to 14 years	no.	1 204	1 228

Persons - 15 years to 19 years	no.	1 005	1 022
Persons - 20 years to 24 years	no.	908	938
Persons - 25 years to 29 years	no.	890	952
Persons - 30 years to 34 years	no.	1 072	1 054
Persons - 35 years to 39 years	no.	991	1 029
Persons - 40 years to 44 years	no.	994	1 003
Persons - 45 years to 49 years	no.	912	932
Persons - 50 years to 54 years	no.	867	911
Persons - 55 years to 59 years	no.	726	764
Persons - 60 years to 64 years	no.	480	524
Persons - 65 years to 69 years	no.	349	374
Persons - 70 years to 74 years	no.	214	230
Persons - 75 years to 79 years	no.	159	157
Persons - 80 years to 84 years	no.	88	97
Persons - 85 years and over	no.	106	114
Persons - Total	no.	13 640	14 030

POPULATION DENSITY (ESTIMATED RESIDENT POPULATION) - at 30 June

Population density	persons/km2	-	-
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ESTIMATED RESIDENT INDIGENOUS POPULATION - at 30 June

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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OVERSEAS BORN POPULATION: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION - Census 2006

Born in Oceania and Antarctica (excluding Australia)	%	-	-
Born in North-West Europe	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Eastern Europe	%	-	-
Born in North Africa and the Middle East	%	-	-
Born in South-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in North-East Asia	%	-	-
Born in Southern and Central Asia	%	-	-
Born in Americas	%	-	-
Born in Sub-Saharan Africa	%	-	-
Total born overseas	%	-	-

SPEAKS A LANGUAGE OTHER THAN ENGLISH AT HOME - Census 2006

Percentage of total population	%	-	-
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LEVEL OF POST SCHOOL QUALIFICATIONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Postgraduate Degree	%	-	-
Graduate Diploma and Graduate Certificate	%	-	-
Bachelor Degree	%	-	-
Advanced Diploma and Diploma	%	-	-
Certificate	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-
Total with qualifications	%	-	-

OCCUPATION OF EMPLOYED PERSONS: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL EMPLOYED PERSONS - Census 2006

Managers	%	-	-
Professionals	%	-	-
Technicians and Trades Workers	%	-	-
Community and Personal Service Workers	%	-	-
Clerical and Administrative Workers	%	-	-
Sales Workers	%	-	-

Machinery Operators and Drivers	%	-	-
Labourers	%	-	-
Inadequately Described/Not Stated	%	-	-

HOUSEHOLDS BY TYPE - Census 2006

Lone person households	no.	-	-
Group households	no.	-	-
Family households	no.	-	-
Total households	no.	-	-

FAMILIES BY TYPE - Census 2006

Couple families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
Couple families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Couple families without children	no.	-	-
One parent families with children under 15 and/or dependent students	no.	-	-
One parent families with non-dependent children only	no.	-	-
Other families	no.	-	-
Total families	no.	-	-

INTERNAL MIGRATION - Census 2006

Persons who lived at same address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 1 year ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at same address 5 years ago	no.	-	-
Persons who lived at different address 5 years ago	no.	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY REMOTENESS AREA - Census 2006

Major Cities	%	-	-
Inner Regional	%	-	-
Outer Regional	%	-	-
Remote	%	-	-
Very Remote	%	-	-

PROPORTION OF POPULATION BY SECTION OF STATE - Census 2006

Major Urban	%	-	-
Other Urban	%	-	-
Bounded Locality	%	-	-
Rural Balance	%	-	-

UNPAID WORK: PERCENTAGE OF TOTAL POPULATION AGED 15 YEARS AND OVER - Census 2006

Persons undertaking voluntary work for an organisation or group	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons caring for own children and other children without pay	%	-	-
Persons providing unpaid care, help or assistance to family members or others	%	-	-

ACCESS TO INTERNET AT HOME: PROPORTION OF OCCUPIED PRIVATE DWELLINGS - Census 2006

Broadband connection	%	-	-
Dial-up connection	%	-	-
Other connection	%	-	-
Total internet connections	%	-	-

BIRTHS AND DEATHS - year ended 31 December

Births	no.	261	282
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Total fertility rate	rate	2.7	2.6
Deaths	no.	76	68
Standardised death rate	rate	8.9	8.6

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2006	2007	2008
693	737	759
726	707	707
606	657	699
538	546	544
427	426	420
439	477	502
508	485	482
544	585	596
468	470	471
460	486	519
458	468	471
391	393	407
287	326	339
199	205	229
142	151	157
81	79	77
37	42	44
34	34	38
7 038	7 274	7 461
602	654	715
684	668	655
653	664	648
498	528	558
519	544	543
564	589	612
536	535	542
560	581	603
517	518	516
476	514	519
486	469	476
406	414	429
283	325	350
191	193	211
113	122	135
84	92	85
60	67	69
94	71	71
7 326	7 548	7 737
1 295	1 391	1 474
1 410	1 375	1 362
1 259	1 321	1 347

1 036	1 074	1 102
946	970	963
1 003	1 066	1 114
1 044	1 020	1 024
1 104	1 166	1 199
985	988	987
936	1 000	1 038
944	937	947
797	807	836
570	651	689
390	398	440
255	273	292
165	171	162
97	109	113
128	105	109
14 364	14 822	15 198

89.1

6.9

0.5	-	-
2.9	-	-
0.7	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.4	-	-
0.0	-	-
0.1	-	-
0.2	-	-
0.1	-	-
4.9	-	-

1.6

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0.4	-	-
0.4	-	-
2.8	-	-
2.9	-	-
18.0	-	-
14.2	-	-
38.7	-	-

9.5	-	-
7.3	-	-
17.0	-	-
11.3	-	-
14.6	-	-
11.5	-	-

9.9 - -
17.0 - -
2.0 - -

809 - -
104 - -
3 768 - -
4 681 - -

1 404 - -
282 - -
1 167 - -
760 - -
194 - -
47 - -
3 854 - -

10 828 - -
1 971 - -
6 893 - -
4 785 - -

0.0 - -
100.0 - -
0.0 - -
0.0 - -
0.0 - -

0.0 - -
78.5 - -
0.0 - -
21.5 - -

13.2 - -
26.0 - -
8.5 - -
1.5 - -
11.8 - -

25.5 - -
24.8 - -
1.0 - -
51.3 - -

2.6	2.7	2.7
90	101	86
9.0	9.6	10.1



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Table 3: Industry

		2004	2005
BUILDING APPROVALS - year ended 30 June			
Private sector houses	no.	145	133
Total dwelling units	no.	147	144
Value of private sector houses	\$m	18.4	23.3
Value of new residential building	\$m	18.6	24.4
Value of total residential building	\$m	20.3	25.9
Value of total non-residential building	\$m	0.9	2.3
Value of total building	\$m	21.2	28.2
Average value of private sector houses	\$'000	126.8	175.2
MOTOR VEHICLE CENSUS - REGISTERED MOTOR VEHICLES - at 31 March			
Number by type of vehicle			
Passenger vehicles	no.	6 203	6 534
Campervans	no.	59	59
Light commercial vehicles	no.	2 055	2 234
Light rigid trucks	no.	68	70
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	271	274
Articulated trucks	no.	50	66
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	6	5
Buses	no.	21	29
Motorcycles	no.	219	217
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	8 953	9 487
Rate per 1,000 population			
Passenger vehicles	no.	455	466
Campervans	no.	4	4
Light commercial vehicles	no.	151	159
Light rigid trucks	no.	5	5
Heavy rigid trucks	no.	20	20
Articulated trucks	no.	4	5
Non-freight carrying trucks	no.	0	0
Buses	no.	2	2
Motorcycles	no.	16	15
Total registered motor vehicles	no.	656	676
Age of vehicle			
Less than 5 years old	no.	1 245	1 405
5 years to less than 10 years old	no.	1 973	2 153
10 years or older	no.	5 734	5 929
Number by type of fuel			
Petrol	no.	7 747	8 136

Diesel	no.	1 108	1 240
LPG/Dual/Other	no.	98	111

GROSS VALUE OF AGRICULTURAL PRODUCTION * - year ended 30 June

Gross value of crops	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock slaughterings	\$m	-	-
Gross value of livestock products	\$m	-	-
Total gross value of agricultural production	\$m	-	-

AGRICULTURAL COMMODITIES * - year ended 30 June

Total area

Area of holding	ha	-	-
Cereals for grain	ha	-	-
Vegetables for human consumption	ha	-	-
Orchard trees (including nuts)	ha	-	-
All fruit (excluding grapes)	ha	-	-
Non-cereal broadacre crops	ha	-	-

Total number

Sheep and lambs	no.	-	-
Milk cattle (excluding house cows)	no.	-	-
Meat cattle	no.	-	-
Pigs	no.	-	-

* Agricultural commodities and value of production data is subject to relative standard error (RSE) - for further information see ABS

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2006	2007	2008
143	139	134
158	158	153
24.3	25.5	23.9
25.9	27.8	25.1
27.2	29.4	27.3
6.1	15.9	8.0
33.3	45.3	35.2
169.9	183.1	178.1
6 846	7 080	7 344
71	77	79
2 380	2 456	2 557
78	76	78
292	292	303
62	60	70
7	7	5
35	41	47
278	280	298
10 049	10 369	10 782
477	478	483
5	5	5
166	166	168
5	5	5
20	20	20
4	4	5
0	0	0
2	3	3
19	19	20
700	700	709
1 618	1 763	1 848
2 338	2 370	2 430
6 092	6 235	6 503
8 529	8 747	9 015

1 397	1 509	1 662
122	112	105

1.5	-	-
0.3	-	-
0.3	-	-
2.1	-	-

5 691.7	-	-
531.6	-	-
2.7	-	-
69.8	-	-
70.9	-	-
94.9	-	-

10 794	-	-
2	-	-
761	-	-
10	-	-

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Table 4: Environment and Energy

	2004	2005
LAND AREA		
Land area	km2	-
WATER USE ON AUSTRALIAN FARMS		
Area of agricultural land	ha '000	-
Area irrigated	ha '000	-
Irrigation volume applied	ML	-
Other agricultural uses	ML	-
Total water use	ML	-
Area irrigated as proportion of agricultural land	%	-

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	2006	2007	2008
	-	-	170.6
6	-	-	
1	-	-	
np	-	-	
np	-	-	
1 027	-	-	
16.7	-	-	